

HONOR FOR GLENDALE

MUTUAL BENEFIT READING CIRCLE IS FIRST IN UNITED STATES

Yesterday morning and afternoon a large number of women met at the home of Mrs. Charles H. Toll, taxing the capacity of the spacious room where the weekly meetings of the Mutual Benefit Reading Circle are held. Besides the regular attendants, three new members, Meses. R. D. Jones, E. Riskin and G. W. Wilson, were present; also the following visitors: Meses. F. C. Ayars, Charles Burnham, F. B. Nay, S. C. Maranville, T. E. Remley of Nogales, and Frederick Warner.

A letter from Ellen C. Lombard, secretary of the Home Education Division of the National Bureau of Education, was read. This commended the women upon their work, and stated that this circle has made the best showing of any similar circle thus far reported from all districts of the United States. It is, of course, pleasing to this earnest group of mothers to learn that their efforts have met with the approval of "the powers that be," particularly when that means Uncle Sam. But it is still more gratifying to realize that an organized and scientific system of work is being promulgated throughout our land, acquainting the mothers with the best books on child-training and home-keeping. When the mothers of our country know, in addition to the truths that they gain through experience, the scientific laws that pertain to their work, (which is far from being a thing of hap-hazard nature) then we shall expect to see a nation arise that shall be more capable in every way, and that shall, moreover, realize the unity of mankind, and the brotherhood of man.

"From Nursery to Kindergarten, and Why," and "Early Virtues," both chapters from "Love and Law in Child Training," were read and discussed with much animation. The right ways of keeping Christmas and "An Educational Experiment" will be considered at the next meeting.

The circle particularly appreciated the active co-operation of Mrs. Danford, the Glendale librarian. She has done everything possible to assist the mothers on all occasions, not only to supply the demand for the books in the course, but to recommend works of a similar nature. There has been a greater demand, relatively, for books of the Parents' Reading Course here than in the Los Angeles library, and there are more books in the course on the shelves of the Glendale library than are found in the larger library. As the demand is that which regulates the supply in these cases, credit should be given to the mothers of this smaller community for the educational awakening here. Mrs. Danford has been requested by Miss Lombard to forward to the National Bureau of Education (which, by the way, is one of the sub-divisions in charge of the Department of the Interior) a letter expressing herself as to the increased demand for educational works at the library.

As this letter and the success of our reading circles will be quoted and sent broadcast throughout the United States through the literature of the department, Glendale will receive considerable desirable advertising, and become a real locality to many who have never heard of the place before.

LONG BEACH MEN LOST

On Saturday, April 15, Charles Barden of Long Beach, in the company of an unknown man, started out in a small gasoline launch on a short fishing trip. After a continued absence of five weeks, during which time the customs and immigration officials have lent their co-operation in an attempt to locate the men, relatives of the lost man have practically surrendered all hope.

In some quarters the belief is held that Barden with his companion continued down the California coast to Magdalena Bay, and en route to the latter point were taken prisoners by the Mexican authorities. This belief is strengthened through the fact that Barden in starting out on the trip had remarked that if weather conditions proved favorable the two would make the trip to the Mexican port.

Mr. Barden is thirty-five years of age, is married and the father of two small children.

TO TURN THE LEAVES OF MUSIC

Two Minneapolis men have invented a device by which the pages of a book or of a sheet of music may be turned by the mere pressing of a button.

SOCIAL NOTES

HOWARTH-BULLOCK WEDDING—INTERMEDIATE TEACHERS HONOR MISS SCHULTZ

Mr. James Howarth and Miss Lela Bullock, two well-known young people of Glendale, were married at the home of Mrs. Ella D. Bolton, a relative of the bride, in Downey, last Tuesday night. Elder E. E. Andross, of Glendale, officiated. He is president of the Pacific Union Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists. Mr. and Mrs. Howarth have been employed in conference work for some time. Mrs. Howarth having been cashier in the local office since its establishment in Glendale.

About 80 friends of the bride and groom, from Los Angeles, Pomona, Tropic, Glendale and Long Beach, were present at 8:30 Tuesday evening when Mr. George M. Bullock, of Rivera, father of the bride, gave her away. Two little children in white, marked with white ribbons the path of the bridal party as Lohengrin's wedding march was played by Miss Evelyn Bullock, the bride's sister. Two bridesmaids, Miss Lena Willis and Miss Violet Bell led the way, being followed by a little flower girl, Ruby Gieske, who strewed rose petals in the path of the bride. Preceded by the matron of honor, Mrs. Ira D. Edwards, the bride entered supported by her father. Mr. William Bolton was best man. Dr. Albert Dickson, of Los Angeles, and Mr. Henry Olsen, of San Pedro, also were members of the bridal party.

The bride carried pink Cecil Bruner roses, and the matron of honor and bridesmaids carried pink and white sweet peas. The decorations were of ferns and Shasta daisies. The couple are spending their honeymoon in San Diego.

TEACHERS' PICNIC

What proved to be a most enjoyable picnic was arranged and carried out by the teachers of the Intermediate school, Wednesday evening, at Eagle Rock park. The affair was in honor of Miss Mabel D. Schultz, who is on the eve of getting married. Miss Schultz, in the course of the evening, was the recipient of a kitchen shower, for which she thanked her friends in appropriate terms. The merry party then amused itself by taking part in a mock track meet and by riding on the merry-go-round. Those present were:

R. D. White, Julius Lehman, E. M. Polley, J. Clark, Gertrude Mallory, H. Noble, Frances Jackson, Iva Hunter, Edna Jones, Margaret Wetherby, Mary Blackburn, Clara Midcalf, Mabel Thayer, Helen White. The following guests were also with the party: Mrs. R. D. White, Helen White, Mrs. J. Clark, Mr. Tom Noble of Allendale and Mr. Hunter.

SHAKESPEARE'S TERCENTENARY

Wednesday afternoon at the Intermediate school Miss Mallory's English classes presented "The Court Scene" from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice." Those taking part included Harriet Barnes as Portia, Olive Taylor as Shylock, Janice West as Nerissa, Henry Dreyer as Bassanio, Erwin Weaver as Antonio, Leslie Siberell as Salerio, Richard Clement as the Duke and Ralph Hutchinson as Gratiano.

Miss Mallory was ably assisted by the Girls' Glee club and the school chorus under the direction of Miss Wetherby.

MRS. FIELD ENTERTAINS

Mrs. F. A. Field of 239 S. Kenwood entertained Wednesday with a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Margaret Lawrence of San Francisco, and her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Jackson of the Palisades, Santa Monica. Easter lilies were used for decoration and centered the beautifully appointed table where an appetizing four-course luncheon was daintily served. Mrs. Lawrence is a pioneer of California, having come here in 1868, and is an old friend of the Fields.

MUSIC SECTION LUNCHEON

It is expected that there will be a large attendance at the garden party and luncheon to be given by the Music section of the Tuesday Afternoon club, Friday, at 12:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. E. W. Kinney, 1223 W. Seventh street. Each member is given the privilege of bringing a guest. There will be a number of pleasant surprises for those who attend.

WEATHER FORECAST—Fair to night and Friday; westerly winds.

BAILEY AND CASEMENT TO BE TRIED JUNE 10

IRISH PARTICIPANTS IN REBELLION TO BE BROUGHT BEFORE COURT NEXT MONTH FOR HIGH TREASON

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

LONDON, May 25.—Sir Roger Casement, the British official who threw in his lot with the Germans and was caught when landed in Ireland from a German submarine, along with Daniel Bailey, an Irish soldier, will be put on trial for high treason June 26. Bailey will be tried about the same time. It is believed that Casement will plead insanity.

METHODIST CONFERENCE FORBIDS DANCING

CHURCH COUNCIL AT SARATOGA DECIDES AGAINST LEGALIZING WORLDLY AMUSEMENTS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 25.—After an exciting debate the Methodist General Conference today decided against the legalizing of dancing, card-playing and theater-going. The vote stood 534 to 350. This came as a surprise to the liberal contingent, who were persuaded that they would have much greater support for their measure than they obtained.

ITALIANS DESTROY AUSTRIAN AEROPLANES

TEUTON AVIATORS SHOT DOWN WHEN ATTEMPTING TO DROP BOMBS ON VENICE

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

ROME, May 25.—Two Austrian aeroplanes which were attempting to drop bombs on Venice, in the neighborhood of the famous St. Mark's cathedral, were chased off and shot down. They fell into a marsh north of the city. Damage has already been done to some of the priceless buildings in the city and a strict watch is kept for the hostile aviators.

LAND RECOVERY BILL PASSES HOUSE

REPRESENTATIVES VOTE TO AUTHORIZE SUIT AGAINST OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILWAY

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—A bill to recover title to 3,200,000 acres of land worth more than \$30,000,000 passed the House today by 186 to 6. The Forbes amendment giving Oregon counties 20 per cent of the proceeds was defeated. The bill authorizes suit against the railroad for recovery of funds received from the sale of 800,000 acres of land at more than \$2.50 an acre, contrary to the provisions of the original grant. This measure particularly interests 16,000 persons to whom agents sold the land fraudulently. These people were deprived of their rights by a Supreme Court decision.

TAKES MEASURES AGAINST MEXICAN ATTACK

GEN. FUNSTON SENDS GEN. PERSHING INSTRUCTIONS HOW TO DISPOSE HIS TROOPS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 25.—Gen. Funston today sent new orders to Gen. Pershing instructing him how to dispose his troops with a view to being in readiness for any attack that might be made on them by the Mexicans. These orders have been necessitated on account of the arrival of strong bodies of Carranzistas in close proximity to the American expedition.

TEXANS MUST FACE COURTMARTIAL TRIAL

MEN WHO FAILED TO ANSWER PRESIDENT WILSON'S CALL FOR MILITIA TO BE PROSECUTED

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—Secretary of War Baker announced today that the 116 Texans who had failed to answer the call of President Wilson for militia to patrol the border will be compelled to face a courtmartial. It is believed here that the peace propaganda throughout the country has influenced the men to refuse their services.

TEXAN AVIATOR FIGHTS FOR FRANCE

AMERICAN AIRMAN DESTROYS GERMAN AEROPLANE IN FIGHT NEAR VERDUN

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

PARIS, May 25.—Bert Hall, a Texan, who is an aviator in connection with the French Foreign legion, engaged in a spectacular encounter with a swift German Fokker aeroplane. The Fokker has a quickfirer that fires through the center of its propeller. After a brief exchange of shots the American sent the German crashing to the earth.

WHAT PARIS ESCAPED

GEORGE LE MESNAGER SAYS HAD PLANS FOR BURNING THE CITY

George Le Mesnager, sergeant in one of the regiments that is at present defending Verdun against Teuton assaults, is looking forward to the time when he will be able to go back to his post at the front and take up again the task of being a unit in the greatest contest of all the ages. He has many interesting things to tell of the war and is in a position to know much as he was in all of the fighting from the retreat on Paris to the most recent assaults at Douaumont.

"I was wounded, as I have already told your readers," said Sergeant Le Mesnager, "in the fighting around Verdun and came close to death; but the worst thing from which I suffered was the 'weeping shells' of the Germans. There has been much fun made of those shells, but they are by no means a joke. I am suffering now severely from the effects of that poisonous gas and I am in danger still of losing my left eye as the effect of the 'lachrymose shells'."

"The asphyxiating gases also produce horrible effects. The men suffer for months after breathing the poisonous fumes and are a long time in recovering. Until we got the anti-gas masks we lost many men from this cause. Until we got the steel helmets all the troops now wear we lost a large number from shrapnel and shell wounds in the head. I am sure 50,000 men would still be in the French ranks if we had had those helmets in the beginning. I have my whole military outfit with me. It is interesting."

"We who were at the front from the beginning know of quite a few interesting matters. For instance in the first rush on Paris Von Kluck, the German general, so far outstripped his commissariat and ammunition supply that when the French turned on him under the stimulation of Gen. Joffre's inspiration he had to retreat and came very near being cut off altogether. That was an unexampled affair. That an army apparently beaten should suddenly pull itself together and turn the tables on its pursuers was a miracle."

"When the French did catch up with the Germans and force them back across the Marne in that astounding encounter that lasted so many weeks they naturally captured many prisoners and a great deal of baggage and spoil of all kinds. Among the personal effects of some important officials was found a complete detailed schedule of what was to be done in Paris. This was so complete that even the menu of the dinner to be served the kaiser on his celebration of his entry into the French capital was there."

"There, too, were found plans for the manner in which the French capital was to be handled after its capture. The city was to be divided into seven sections corresponding to the seven days in the week. Certain demands of a most crushing nature were to be made of France. These were to be complied with within twenty-four hours. If not the first section of the city was to be burned on Sunday. Another demand would then be made and if the French were still obstinate the second section was to be burned Monday, and so on until the whole city was to be destroyed."

"The Parisians compared the kaiser to Nero when they heard of this delectable plan and said he would doubtless strum some of his wonderful compositions on the piano as he watched the flames, as Nero did on the harp while Rome was burning."

"Among other interesting details that came to light were those that concerned some of the German residents in France. It was discovered that many of these had been promised patents of nobility and high positions in the conquered France. Some of these people were arrested. One of them was Herr Mumm, the manufacturer of Mumm's champagne. Mumm, who had furnished the kaiser with valuable information concerning the country that had sheltered him and in which he had made his fortune, was to be made Prince of Champagne. He had a vast area of vineyards there and had assisted the Germans with plans of the whole French defense and with promises and performance of burning bridges and destroying means of communication to hamper the French."

"Mumm was arrested and confined in a strong prison on the coast of Brittany. Shortly after his confinement there it was discovered that Red Cross material sent from the United States to the German prisoners through the American Red Cross contained revolvers, knives and files for the use of Baron Mumm

MEMORIAL EXERCISES

N. P. BANKS POST WILL HONOR MEMORY OF FALLEN COMRADES

Services in memory of the comrades who have passed on before will be held under the auspices of N. P. Banks Post, G. A. R., Sunday afternoon and on Decoration Day. The following program has been arranged:

Memorial Sabbath—May 28
G. A. R. Hall, Tropic, 3:00 p. m.
Song.....Marple Quartette
Prayer.....Chaplain C. R. Norton
Song.....
Mrs. William Mordecai Crawford
Scripture Reading.....
Song.....Marple Quartette
Sermon.....Rev. H. J. Crist
Song, America.
Benediction.....Chaplain C. R. Norton
Memorial Day—May 30
Grand View Cemetery—10:00 a. m.
Decorating of graves by Sons of Veterans, Boy Scouts, Camp-fire Girls and school children.
Song, Selected.
Adjutant's report.
Ritualistic service of G. A. R.
Firing of salute.
Song, Selected.
Oration—Hugh Pomeroy.
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address—Commander Robert M. McGee.
Address—Oliver O. Clark.
Song, America.
Benediction—Chaplain C. R. Norton.

Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3:00 p. m.
Decorating of graves by Sons of Veterans, Boy Scouts, Camp-fire Girls and school children.
Song, Selected.

Adjutant's report.
Ritualistic service by G. A. R.
Firing of salute.
Address—Mr. Frank E. Peters, president of board of trustees of Tropic.
Response—Chaplain C. R. Norton.
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address—Division Commander Joseph V. Griffin.
Address—Comrade Theodore D. Kanouse.
Song, America.
Taps.
Benediction—Chaplain C. R. Norton.

DEATH OF MRS. M. TEWSLEY

Mrs. Melinda Tewsley, mother of Mrs. H. E. MacMullin, proprietor of MacMullin's Sanitary Dairy, 1560 Sycamore avenue, departed this life Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Tewsley, whose maiden name was Melinda Walterhouse, was a native of Toronto, Canada. She was 73 years, 11 months and three days old. During the past seven years she has resided with her daughter, Mrs. MacMullin, in Glendale. She has been ill during the past six months with diabetes. Mrs. Tewsley is survived by her husband, J. D. Tewsley, her daughter, Mrs. MacMullin, and her granddaughter, Helen MacMullin. She had lived a useful and Christian life. This is the third death in Mrs. MacMullin's family during four months. Funeral services will be held at the Jewel City Undertaking parlors, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the body will be taken to the Los Angeles crematory.

NEW RAILROAD OFFICE

H. C. Nutt, general manager, Salt Lake Route, has established a new position, engineer of maintenance, and appointed R. C. Brown to maintain in perfect condition the roadbed, bridges and other structures on the entire system, 1200 miles long.

Mr. Brown spent 10 years in construction and maintenance work on the Pennsylvania lines, has had much western experience and was president of the Utah Society of Engineers. His headquarters will be in Los Angeles.

and his confederates. The American Red Cross was notified and afterward refused to be made the medium of conveying such material which came from certain German Red Cross societies in the United States. Mumm and his confederates were disappointed in their plans and a strange yacht that had been hovering about the coast of Brittany disappeared, and Mumm is still 'au secret'—in prison.

"I never saw any of the Russian troops at the front; but it is well known that they have been arriving in France and are stationed in camp at Chalons, about 30 miles from the Verdun positions. I have been told that they are very fine troops, officered by first-class Russian officers, and that there will be an army corps of them, ready to take part in the great offensive that the Allies are to launch whenever the Allied council determines that the time has come."

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INCREASING USE OF AEROPLANES

While other nations are using their aeroplanes chiefly in war the United States is contemplating a peace service for those products of modern ingenuity. Postmaster-General Burleson is anxious to secure an aeroplane mail service if it can be shown that it is cheaper than the old methods. Seven routes have been decided on in Alaska and one in Massachusetts. This is gratifying to Alaskans, who have long suffered disabilities in mail service on account of the vast distances that have to be traversed in winter by dog team.

If it can be shown that the aeroplane is more efficient than the old method there is no doubt that the aeroplane has come to stay in that service. They should be able to show superior economy in operation as well as better speed. In the war areas of Europe the aeroplane works with wonderful efficiency and indeed if it had not been for the war the development of the aeroplane would never have reached its present perfection.

At present the aeroplane has a very wide range of travel and is able to traverse its route generally at not less than 100 miles an hour. It has not as yet been developed to its full extent as a carrier of merchandise, yet there have been cases as at Kut-el-Amara, where a British force was cooped up for six months by the Turks where the aeroplanes carried in a considerable number of tons of food and ammunition and had there been an adequate air service it is possible that Gen. Townshend's garrison would be holding out at the present moment.

It cannot be many years before the development of aeroplanes will have become so great that they will be pressed into all manner of transportation service. The German Zeppelin is one of the most elaborate air machines ever devised. It is wonderfully efficient and offers a means of certain conveyance for numbers of men and quantities of material. Men can go comfortably to sleep on those huge airships and it is conceivable that this or some modification of this method of aerostation will be largely used in the near future, both for commerce and travel.

One can see how vastly useful a reliable airship would be in the Arctic regions. There would be no ice hummocks to climb or evade, no river "overflows" to avoid. The blizzard itself might be avoided and by means of supply stations and hangars constructed in summer, stations for recuperation and repair could be established. In this way a great deal of the country now unexplored could be reached and the vast riches of the interior of this wonderful land opened up and brought into touch with civilization.

Just at the present transition juncture when vessels are lost in the Arctic it would be easy to pick up the whereabouts of a lost expedition and to succor it by means of the aeroplane. The airship goes direct to its destination. The mountains are no obstacle to it; neither are the deep waters. It can easily surmount such a natural obstacle as the Chilkoot pass and could fly down the 900 miles length of the Kuskokwim river without much difficulty. It would be possible to effect many valuable rescues in those remote regions and also as may easily be imagined to locate some valuable gold deposits, of which it is reasonable to suppose there are many in the interior of that wonderful territory. The imagination cannot go far wrong in anticipating wonders for the aeroplane of the future.

CANADA AFTER AMERICAN LABOR

It is one of the functions of the American consuls all over the world to keep track of what is going on in their respective jurisdictions that in any way affects American interests. The American consul at Vancouver is therefore only performing his duty when he notifies the United States government that the Canadian government is making plans to advertise for 30,000 farm laborers in the United States and that the railroads of the Dominion, at the request of the government, have granted a one-cent-a-mile rate between Emerson, Manitoba, and Portal, Saskatchewan, to help to cover the transportation of men required to harvest the crops of the prairie provinces.

It is further stated that advertising contracts are being entered into with some 5000 American newspapers to induce Americans to migrate to the Dominion of Canada. He says in this connection that there is really no need for such labor and that the only object of the Canadian government is to get men to enlist for the war in Europe. In Vancouver, where Consul-General Mansfield is stationed, there are more than 1000 unemployed and many able-bodied men in the province of British Columbia are dependent on public charity because they are unable to obtain employment.

Every foreigner of military age in the province of British Columbia is urged to enlist for overseas service and it is practically impossible for an American citizen to secure employment in any capacity in Vancouver. Several thousand Americans have left Vancouver and gone to the United States during the past year. The majority of them returned for the reason that they were unable to do business or secure employment in any capacity. Some of them also returned because the authorities endeavored to enlist them.

It would seem that there is an order in council prohibiting the entry into British Columbia of artisans and laborers, skilled or unskilled. This was passed at the demand of organized labor, because of the great number of unemployed in all branches of industry in that province. It would therefore be reasonable to infer that there exists no necessity for the migration of American workmen to Canada.

WAR REDUCES POPULATION

According to the most recent statistics the war in Europe is as hard on the civilian as on the soldier. The birthrate in all the countries has been dropping seriously and statistics from France, Germany and Britain show that deaths from acute disease have largely increased. Naturally people living in a chronic condition of

RANGERS' TELEPHONE

A portable telephone, made of aluminum and weighing 2½ pounds, the invention of a forest officer, R. B. Adams of Missoula, Montana, will be part of the regular equipment of patrolmen on the National Forest the coming field season. This instrument is regarded as a great improvement over the set formerly used, which weighed ten pounds.

It is said that a field man equipped with this telephone, a few yards of light emergency wire, and a short piece of heavy wire to make the ground connection can cut in anywhere along the more than 20,000 miles of Forest Service telephone and get in touch with the headquarters of a supervisor or district ranger. To talk, one end of the emergency wire is thrown over the telephone line, the two ends are connected to the portable instrument, and the instrument is connected to the ground wire, the end of which must be thrust into the damp earth or in water. Contact with the line wire is made possible by removal of the insulation from a few inches of the emergency wire.

The Adams instrument does not ring the bell of the receiving telephone, but instead causes a screeching sound from a small megaphone-shaped apparatus descriptively known as a "howler." This instrument is installed at the ranger station telephone and is said to give effective notice that some one is on the wire. If the field man needs to talk with some one elsewhere on the line, the ranger station instrument can be used to ring up the person wanted, when the conversation can be carried on.

Forest officers say that these portable phones are especially valuable in reporting fires and other emergencies with the least possible delay, and also in sending instructions to field men and keeping the district rangers informed as to the progress of work going on in the field, thus supplementing the regular telephone sets installed at lookout points, ranger stations, and at convenient intervals along Forest Service roads and trails.

IMMENSE CONCRETE ARCH

One of the largest single concrete arches in the world, weighing 11,000 tons and costing \$60,000 will be built by the Salt Lake railroad at the intersection of Sawmill Canyon and Clover Creek, Nevada.

Work will begin shortly. The arch will be 93 feet long, 23 feet high and extend 18 feet below the stream bed, and will be capable of sustaining 73,680 tons. The big arch will bow beneath and around the trestle now in use there, and as it changes from wet concrete into solid artificial stone, the trestles will be removed while traffic is carried on all the time.

Arthur Maguire, chief engineer, in whose office the arch was designed, will use 165,000 feet of lumber to keep the concrete from touching the trestle.

This is one of a number of improvements to be made by H. C. Nutt, general manager, this year.

LOSING NO OPPORTUNITIES

A visitor to a small country town lost his dog, an animal which he prized very much.

Rushing to the office of the local newspaper, he handed in an advertisement, offering \$50 reward for the return of his dog.

Half an hour later he thought he would add to his advertisement the words: "No questions asked." So he hurried to the office again.

When he got there, the place was empty save for a small boy, who looked very sulky.

"Where's the staff?" asked the tourist, glancing round the deserted room.

"Out looking for your dog," was the aggrieved retort.—Daily Mail and Express, Toronto.

fright or alarm are more subject to disease than those who are living a quiet and even existence.

It would be expected that an industrial people, mingled with people of the trades class and those who by reason of better means have been living well and sheltered all their days, would, in many cases, succumb when suddenly exposed to dangers and privations. Thus we find that the war is depopulating German and Austrian cities and that there is an increased death rate in London and Paris. At the same time the birthrate in those large centers has not kept pace with the deaths.

This is going to be a serious condition. Its real consequences will not be entirely visible until the war is over. A great deal of what is going on is being concealed at present and facts will only come to light when the countries of Europe are opened up again.

However, it can be judged that serious conditions prevail in all the big centers of population, partly owing to casualties at the front and partly owing to the hardships the civil population has suffered. Statements to the effect that the public health is better in the war-stricken countries than before hostilities broke out are ridiculous.

Reliable authorities estimate that Berlin has lost 800,000 inhabitants. The great German seaport, Hamburg, is conscious of the loss of 330,000. Breslau is mourning 200,000 departed. Dresden, Leipzig and Munich have lost almost 33 per cent of their populations. Vienna acknowledges 700,000 lost. Trieste, Lemberg, Prague, Budapest, Graetz have lost from 80 per cent to 35 per cent of their inhabitants. Part of these losses may be made up at the close of the war by the return of the soldiers; but quite a large proportion of them is permanent.

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FOR SALE—Can spare a few 10 lb. buckets of pure Vermont maple sugar at \$2.50 each, having just received a shipment too large for own use. Frank C. Peters, 1525 Myrtle street, Glendale. 235tf

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with excellent table board. 136 S. Jackson. Phone 361W. 206tf

TO LET—At Hermosa Beach; furnished cottage, three rooms and bath, \$30 for the month of June and \$35 for July. Inquire 1516 Pioneer Drive or phone Glendale 186-W. 234tf

FOR RENT—New 5-room house, 624 Adams street. 234tf*

FOR RENT—One furnished and one unfurnished 4-room apartment, with or without garage; close in; vacant June 1; rent very reasonable. Park View apartments, 414 Orange street. 218tf

FOR RENT—4-room furnished apartment, 3 months from June 1, \$15 month. Glendale 456-J. 706 W. Fifth street. 232tf

FOR RENT—Furnished bungalow "Cozy Cote," 1458½ Oak street, 3 rooms and bath. Ideal place for young couple or two ladies. All modern conveniences. 203tf

FOR RENT—At low summer rates, 3 or 4-room, completely furnished apartments. Also single rooms. Call and see them. Nothing better. California apartments, 415½ Brand boulevard. 235tf

FOR RENT—7-room modern bungalow, garage. Rent \$20 per month. 1455 Salem St. Phone Glendale 475-J. 221tf

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

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In the Matter of the Estate of Colista W. Scott, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Virgil Scott for the Probate of Will of Colista W. Scott, Deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to Virgil Scott, will be heard at 2 o'clock p. m. on the 5th day of June, 1916, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated May 19, 1916.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.

By H. H. DOYLE,

Deputy Clerk.

ALBERT D. PEARCE, 827 Higgins Bldg., Los Angeles, Attorney for Petitioner. 231tf

IN THE GARDEN

I spied beside the garden bed
A tiny lass of ours,
Who stopped and bent her sunny head
Above the red June flowers.

Pushing the leaves and thorns apart,
She singled out a rose,
And in its inmost crimson heart,
Enraptured, plunged her nose.

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We will have to go down the coast to where the ocean water is rather warm, to find these little horses. There they live, swimming everywhere in and out among the seaweed, for really they are just little fishes. It is only because they look so much like tiny horses, that people have so nicknamed them.

Lazy little fellows some of them are, who just love to spend hours fastened to a bit of seaweed, for a little "hitching post." You never can guess how these little horses "hitch" themselves up to their posts! Why, they just curl their little tails tight about one, and there they stay, swaying gently with the seaweed as the waves wash in and out.

Their little fins fly as fast as a hummingbird's wings, and all up and down their tiny bodies are such sharp spines. I do not think anything would want to ride one of these prickly little horses.

Such a curious way they have, too, of taking care of the baby sea horses. It is the little fathers who do it, for the mothers do not trouble about them at all. The fathers have a little pouch on their bodies, and it is in there that the baby sea horses stay until they are old enough to take care of themselves. Even after they are able to swim about quite alone, they will hurry back into the pouch again at the least alarm.

ONE LOYAL MAN

One loyal man in a city, who stands for patronizing home concerns, is worth to the community as much as a thousand men who can not see the advantage to be gained by patronizing home institutions.

Personals

James T. McBryde went to Santa Monica Tuesday evening, where he visited friends and transacted legal business.

Mrs. Mott and her two sons and daughter have moved into the residence at 1415 Burchett street. They were formerly residents of Colorado Springs, Col.

Mrs. Carroll McCurdy, 1425 Burchett street, is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Sophia Lousby of Los Angeles, who will remain in Glendale for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Marshall, recently of West Acacia avenue, are now cozily domiciled in a pretty bungalow on their ranch near Palcolma on San Fernando road.

After visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mel H. Weiler, on Dayton Court, for several weeks, Mr. Donald C. Warren sailed Tuesday on the "President" for Seattle, Wash., where he intends to enter business.

Mrs. Flora Lemoi, 119 E. Broadway, has a field of white potatoes, which, while not having produced a great many in each hill, have grown to a considerable size. Several of these potatoes when weighed were found to be one pound each.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Franklin went Thursday morning with the large party of employees of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance company, on their annual outing. The party went to Long Beach. Mr. Franklin is associate counsel of the company.

Mrs. Mabel Ocker, 1498 W. Third street, was a guest at the banquet of the Woman's Press club of Southern California, Tuesday. The guests of honor were Signor and Madame Pasquali and Florencio Constantino. Madame Pasquali sang several songs in Italian, French and German.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Franklin and Mrs. Mabel Ocker were dinner guests, Monday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Van Dyke, 1430 W. Third St. The rooms were tastefully decorated in pink and white. The place cards revealed each an original verse describing the guest for whom it was intended.

Miss Alice Frank, business manager of the Glendale branch of the Egan school, is meeting with much success in establishing the school. The number of pupils has now increased so much that it has been necessary to divide them into classes. The High School class is increasing weekly. Miss Ethel Murphy is the teacher of dancing and Mr. Earl Robinson is teacher of expression. The school is meeting in Butler's hall, Thursdays, at 3 p. m.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR RALLY

The Christian Endeavor societies of the Glendale District C. E. Union will hold an Endeavor meeting and installation service at 3 p. m. on Sunday, May 28th, at the Christian church, corner of Louise and Colorado boulevard. This Union is composed of the Christian Endeavor societies of Tropico, Eagle Rock and Glendale. The members of these societies as well as other young people of the valley are earnestly invited to attend and enjoy a program which has been thoughtfully prepared and includes speakers from Los Angeles and special music. The installation of the new officers will be conducted by Rev. W. E. Edmonds of Glendale. Further announcements later.

DECORATION DAY EDITION

On Saturday of this week the Evening News will publish a Decoration Day Edition. Copies of the paper will be placed in every home in the Glendale community. The management of the News goes to considerable additional expense to have copies of this number of the paper placed in every home in this section of the valley, and it is indeed encouraging to meet with a liberal response from advertisers. All copy for advertisements should reach this office not later than Friday at 2 p. m.

ONE-STORY SCHOOLHOUSES

In the western part of the United States people are trying out the one-story schoolhouse plan. They have found that even building plots 200 feet square may be utilized for this new type of school. The school built around a hollow square has many advantages, the greatest being that of the sheltered, safe playground in the square court of the building. A new schoolhouse in Portland, Oregon, is being built in installments, new sides of the hollow square being added as needed.

AUTOMATIC BLOCK SIGNALS

New block signals to be installed on the Salt Lake Route this summer will cost about \$400,000, although no passenger has been killed in train accidents on the Salt Lake railroad in nine years, according to H. C. Nutt, general manager.

Direct current automatic interlocking signals of the very latest design will be set in place between Los Angeles and Riverside, Salt Lake City and Lyndyl, Utah; and Modena to Rox, Nevada; aggregating 280 miles.

GLENDALE FOOTHILLS

The spacious tennis court at Brand castle was the scene of a very active and enjoyable tournament Wednesday, when the Foothills Tennis club met for their weekly matches. Two new members, Mrs. Fay and Mrs. Stone, were admitted. Mrs. Fay and Mrs. Temple distinguished themselves by winning most of the sets they played. The other members present were: Mrs. W. P. Thompson, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Alfred Priest, Mrs. George Mitchell, Miss Barbara Mitchell, Mrs. W. E. Evans and Miss Myrtle Pulliam.

Mr. and Mrs. Boggs of 1020 Stocker street returned home Wednesday from a two weeks' stay in Santa Barbara. During their absence their residence has been painted on the outside and papered inside and all the woodwork enameled. Work on the grounds is still being done and the whole place is gradually assuming a greatly improved appearance.

Dr. H. E. Hart of Los Angeles, who is an optician of experience, was at the office of Dr. J. E. Eckles of N. Central avenue, Wednesday, where he attended to several patients.

Jack Marsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Marsh, 1546 Ruth street, who was badly burned some time ago, is now able to walk about a little and will soon be completely recovered.

FORESTS OF NATIONAL PARKS

That the forests of Yosemite, Sequoia and General Grant National Parks surpass any other of their kind in the size and beauty of trees and the number of species represented is stated by C. L. Hill in a publication on the forests of these parks just issued by the Department of the Interior. This pamphlet, which may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., for 20 cents, contains descriptions of the species and of the forest types as well as pictures of the important trees.

The most interesting tree is the sequoia, which is the crowning achievement of the vegetable kingdom in size and majesty and age. "When Cheops dreamed the first pyramid," says Mr. Hill, "some of these hoary giants of today doubtless already were springing up and hopefully taking possession of this very soil above which in lordly height and grandeur they look down upon us for millennium after; while Abraham and Moses and David established and led the people of Israel these hopeful seedlings grew through an exuberant youth; in the lusty strength of approaching prime they were entering into their kingdom over the forest when imperial Rome began; they stood in a calm and undaunted maturity when Jesus trod the Judean hills; and when William of Normandy fought on the field of Hastings they were already putting on the hoary garments of age.

There they still stand today, after another millennium has sped; in calm serenity and majesty, unhurt by disease, unscarred by all save fire and the hand of man, while we, creatures of a day creep about and peep beneath their mighty shade and pass away, while they live on. And there is no visible reason, barring foolhardy destruction by man, why they should not still live for another millennium or more.

STATE TO DESTROY BIRD PEST

The Fish and Game Commission, to which is delegated the function of protecting and preserving the wild life of the State, has declared war on the English Sparrow. Throughout the United States this bird has proved to be a pest and many eastern cities have waged war against it for many years past. Here in California, as elsewhere, the English sparrow is not only filthy in its habits and destructive to crops, but in addition drives out the native insectivorous and song birds which are beneficial to man's interests.

The campaign to be instituted by the Commission will probably constitute the first united effort toward this end to be made by any state in the union. A leaflet giving methods of identifying English sparrows and means of destroying them will soon be issued. In addition a statewide campaign of publicity will be undertaken to encourage a united effort to rid California of this bird pest. A week will be set aside during which everyone will be asked to co-operate in the destruction of sparrows and all of the deputies of the Fish and Game Commission will be set to work killing sparrows and directing others in the work.

STRANGE TASTE

A gentleman was visiting at a country house where lived a little boy, and, being pleased with the lad's brightness and good behavior, he gave him a shilling.

"Is it a good one?" asked the boy, and on being assured that it was, he exclaimed, "Oh, I'd much rather have a bad one."

"Why, what ever makes you wish that?" asked the visitor.

"Well, you see," said the little boy, "if it is a bad one I shall be allowed to keep it, but if it is good it will have to go into the money-box."—My Magazine.

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Glerd. House Furnishing Co., E. F. Parker & Co., 417 Brand, Sunset 40
TRANSFER, FURNITURE MOVING, DAILY TRIPS TO LOS ANGELES—
Richardson Transfer, 341 1/2 Brand Blvd.....Home 2241, Sunset 748

PAY FOR STOCK AND TIME

The business of the Evening News is conducted in such a methodical manner that no patron is overcharged for printing done providing the management is allowed to make the charge by counting cost of paper stock and time required to do the work.

A lady called at our office a few days ago and asked for the price of 400 four-page programs and envelopes. The price was fixed at \$7.00 and before the job was completed 50 cents was added on account of extra composition. Actual stock and time showed the job to be worth \$6.50, the price paid by the lady when she settled the account.

The honest printer will save money for customers if he is allowed to count stock and time in making charges for work. The dishonest printer will beat you at every turn of the road, whatever agreement you have with him.

HIS WONDERFUL BEAN

Willie had a bean and he placed it in a saucer on some cotton, as the teacher had told him to do. Presently it began to swell and the first thing Willie knew the halves of the bean separated and out came the most beautiful little plant he had ever seen. It was quite white and had two leaves, folded closely together. Willie examined them with his magnifying glass and thought how beautiful they were in their satin-like delicacy, with the veins running through them. There was a stem upon the top of which the leaves were held and, after a while, a tiny root came out of this stem. It seemed a perfect miracle that this pretty little plant could have been contained in that small and uninteresting looking bean.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

NO FUN FOR HIM, EITHER

One night, shortly after my little brother had graduated from his little iron bed to a real grown-up bed, he fell out three times, says a writer to the Chicago Tribune. The last time, when his mother came to pick him up, he said: "I'm awfully sorry to 'sturb you so much, mother, but I'm not enjoying it, either."

CHANGEABLE ROSES

The Chinese, Japanese and Siamese, says Tit-Bits, do many wonderful things with flowers. One of their most remarkable productions is known as the "changeable rose."

At night or in a dark room, it has a pure white-wax blossom. But when it is taken into the sunlight, a wonderful transformation takes place. First, the petals take on a kind of washed or faded blue color that rapidly changes to a faint pink. The pink gradually deepens until, at last, the rose that was lily-white becomes as red as the reddest peony that ever bloomed.

PROVE THE HEROISM THAT IS IN YOU

There is plenty of heroism in human nature. Prove it by the mother whose heart is broken by the loss of her first-born, but yet remembers the other little ones dependent on her, and teaches her sad lips to smile, and refuses to her aching eyes the comfort of tears. Prove it by the man of business who, reduced to a sudden poverty, stripped of the accumulations of a lifetime by some thunderbolt of disaster, sets his teeth and squares his shoulders and begins all over again, without allowing himself to doubt the outcome. The boy who puts his arm about his widowed mother and says, "Don't cry, mother, I'll take care of you," is not an exceptional hero. The world is full of just this sort of heroism, springing up responsive to some crisis.

What we need is to apply our courage to the small things in life.—Young People's Weekly.

NEW ENVELOPE OPENER

A new envelope opener has recently been invented and patented by a man in East Orange, N. J. It has a blade curved in just the right way for insertion under the flap of an envelope, says the New York World, and this is prevented from cutting the contents by a trough-shaped guide along which the edge of the envelope must slip. The cutting is done by the hollow rear edge of the blade, which cannot reach the paper until this has passed the guide.

WIRELESS TELEPHONY

Concerning the experiences and limitations of wireless telephony, Theodore N. Vail, the great specialist in this line, says: "The most interesting and useful characteristics of the radio vibrations—those which make possible distant telephone communication—are that these vibrations unlike the electric and speaking vibrations over the wire, retain their peculiar speaking form even to the very faintest activity, and, therefore, when magnified by the telephonic appliances of the Bell system, the speech is distinct whether it be in Honolulu or Hong Kong, Paris or Petrograd.

The greatest obstacles in the way of the system are conditions in the air and the earth. There seem to be continuous electrical storms. Sometimes these are mild, and at other times of such intensity as to destroy the artificial vibrations of the wireless stations. In the midst of these storms there will be lulls of comparative quiet, and it is at these times that it is possible to use the wireless telephone system satisfactorily. The coming and going of these natural disturbances are known only by the artificial vibrations with which they come in conflict. No clouds or prevailing winds, barometer or thermometer, indicate their coming or enable a forecast to be made.

BURBANK

Mr. and Mrs. S. Arthur Adams returned Saturday of last week from San Diego, where they spent several days.

Mrs. L. S. White of Milwaukee, Wis., is visiting Mrs. M. P. Groshong on Olive avenue.

The 500 Club met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Wood on Angeleno avenue, Wednesday afternoon of this week.

F. F. Scribner and N. M. Peterson and wife attended the Burbank-Whittier ball game at South Pasadena Tuesday.

R. O. Church, M. C. Paxton, Chas. Pomeroy, Mr. Hampton and M. S. McNutt motored to South Pasadena Tuesday to see the Whittier-Burbank ball game.

J. E. McGuire was forced to be absent from his store the better part of this week on account of an attack of tonsillitis.

Bigga Invests in Burbank Acreage
Irving H. Bigga, well-known Los Angeles realty man, has purchased the 52 acres between the San Fernando road and the McClure ranch; will sub-divide same and put in gas and water mains. The property when divided into acre tracts will no doubt move fast.

G. A. Grismer has started the erection of two more new residences on the Biggar Tract in North Burbank. When these houses are completed every lot in the tract will have been improved.

The First National Bank building will soon look like new. Horne and Bolschweid started welding their brushes Thursday of this week.

Mrs. C. E. Dadison has been on the sick list the past week.

The Burbank High School has had one of the best ball nines in its history the past season, and the team generally speaking has played in good luck, but Tuesday was their "Jonah" day when they met the Whittier team at South Pasadena to play for the championship of the Bay City League, when umpire ranged himself on the Whittier side. The final score was 5 to 6 in favor of Whittier, but had the boys received a "square deal" in the umpire's decision in the ninth inning the result would have been different.

Trustees' Meeting

A regular meeting of the board of trustees of the City of Burbank was held at the city hall Tuesday afternoon, May 23, and there were present Trustees W. A. Blanchard, president; W. L. Pollock, R. L. Linn and E. S. Hogle. Absent, J. W. Forbes. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication from the horticultural commissioners was read, in which the board was notified of the condition of the roads in the valley, where Johnson grass and Russian thistles had gained a foothold and become a nuisance and asking that they eradicate the same. The matter was turned over to the street superintendent.

On motion the following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn:

GENERAL FUND

Elec. Light Dept. City of Burbank\$117.10
J. D. Hale 1.75

WATER

Elec. Light Dept. City of Burbank\$178.20
Marie Thereso Bell 3.00
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I. W. Biggar 19.05
C. E. Davison 15.48
Burbank Review 6.00

ELECTRIC LIGHT BOND 1916

Western Electric Co.\$ 27.03
Mr. P. A. Farley, contractor for the new city hall, presented his bonds and the same were approved.

On motion the bids for the new reservoir were opened and publicly declared, as follows: Milagorovich & Gillespie, F. Rolfe, Hunter Bros., P. A. Farley and Cecil Lockwood. Inasmuch as the bid of Cecil Lockwood was the lowest, same was accepted.

The president appointed Trustees Pollock and Hogle a committee to look into the matter of an adding machine.

Adjourned.

LA CANADA

The La Canada Improvement association will meet Saturday evening, May 27, 1916, at 8 o'clock. The usual routine of business will follow and then a program will be given.

Mr. Metzger is now working in Anaheim, and during his absence Miss Clara Armstrong is the house guest of Mrs. Metzger.

Dr. Scott has returned with his wife from their wedding tour in the north. He is again filling the pulpit. Everyone welcomes him back to La Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight entertained Dr. and Mrs. Scott and friends of the Scotts from Minnesota at dinner Sunday.

The Thursday Afternoon club met last Thursday at the home of Miss Margaret Green.

Mass meeting will be held Wednesday, June 1, for the purpose of

discussing plans for school building. Everyone be present.

A reception was held in the church Tuesday evening to welcome Dr. Scott and his new bride. Judge and Mrs. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox of Pasadena, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Knight, stood up with Dr. and Mrs. Scott. After several speeches and the introduction of the people present to Mrs. Scott, punch and wafers were served.

Rev. Lane, who has been quite ill in Pasadena, was in the valley Sunday and looked over his ranch.

The contract is soon to be let for the paving of Mountain street from School street to Earlmont.

There are two ladies on Burr avenue who are very ill, and if any of the ladies could go and lend a helping hand it would be much appreciated.

Mr. Chateaux, who was so badly burned, is now having a serious time with one ear. It was lanced Sunday and he has suffered greatly.

New Books Now in Library

Alcott—Eight Cousins.
Atherton—Mrs. Belfane.
Atkinson—Mamzelle Fifiine.
Barclay—Upas Tree.
Bennett—Great Adventure.
Bensusan—Home Life in Spain.
Bergson—Laughter.
Butler—Historic Churches in Mexico.

Cartwright—Sandro Botticelli.
Chisholm—Golden Staircase.
Coburn—Book of Alfalfa.
Cooke—Power and the Glory.
Daly—Madrigali.
Dehan—One Braver Thing.
Duncan—Bees, Wasps and Ants.
Duncan—Land and Water Plants.
Duncan—Plant Traps and Decoys.
Duncan—Plants and Their Children.

Gladden—Labor Question.
Griggs—Human Equipment.
Hawthorne—Wonder-book for Girls and Boys.
Kipling—Naulahka.
Kipling—Second Jungle Book.
Lear—Book of Nonsense.
Lincoln—Mr. Pratt's Patients.
Los Angeles Co. Health Office—Bulletin, 1915, Pam. v.1.
Los Angeles Co. Health Office—Bulletin, 1915, Pam. v.2.
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The La Canada P. T. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon, June 2. A large attendance is hoped for to welcome the new president. "Flag Day" will be observed with appropriate exercises. All welcome.

H. V. Adams to Lecture

H. V. Adams, Elrose avenue, who has a wide reputation as a Chautauqua lecturer, will lecture at La Canada, Saturday night, under the auspices of the La Canada association. Mr. Adams is an optimist, and his lectures are pleasing, instructive, amusing and always highly appreciated. This opportunity of hearing a lecturer who has made a reputation for himself throughout the Middle West and the East should not be missed by anyone. The people of La Canada are particularly invited to be present.

LA CRESCENTA

Mrs. A. Judson and two daughters of Pasadena spent Tuesday of this week at the Rev. Hopping home.

The Annual meeting of the Bible class of the La Crescenta Presbyterian church was held in the school building on Monday evening of this week. To say that the meeting was well attended and a decided success would be putting it mildly. After all necessary business was transacted

a fine program was enjoyed, after which refreshments were served. The chief speakers of the evening were: Mr. Butterfield of Highland Park, D. E. Weatherbee, Rev. Hopping and Mr. Lumm.

A. F. Tallemantes of Venice has leased the Eaton bungalow for the use of his wife and daughter, who will spend the summer here.

Mrs. Dorothy Cahoon returned the first of the week from a Los Angeles hospital and surprised her many La Crescenta friends by bringing along a little daughter weighing 8½ pounds. Mr. Cahoon, who has lately been attending to mining interests in Nevada, returned home on Wednesday.

J. W. Lewis, a practical gardener of Seal Beach, Cal., has the Scott ranch in charge, and says he will soon turn the place into a bower of beauty.

D. E. Weatherbee is a man who says he is as young as he feels, and we'll all admit that is pretty young. Like everyone else, however, he has a birthday once in a while. Some of his relatives and friends knowing that D. E. would plead guilty to having a birthday this year if left to his own devices, took the matter into their own hands and made him the central figure in a surprise party on the occasion of his 56th birthday last Thursday evening.

It doesn't matter a bit what the seasons of the year are—the capacity business at the popular Fairmount Hotel continues just the same. During the last week the following guests were registered: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bobbysell, Mrs. M. J. Bobbysell, Mrs. M. G. Eshman, Mrs. A. Crutcher, Mrs. H. H. Kerckhoff, Mrs. Davis Richardson, Mrs. Wedington Morse, Mrs. Irwin J. Rowley, Mrs. Geo. Griffith, Mrs. M. E. Hawley, Gertrude Phelps, Ezra H. Shoemaker, Mrs. Geo. F. Winter and Miss Katherine Boshford of Los Angeles; Miss Myrtle Steiger of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sherwood of North Glendale.

Everyone will admit who has seen it, that La Crescenta can boast of one of the prettiest little school houses in Southern California. In fact, the school building was built in such a pretentious manner that there were no building funds left for the grounds. This state of affairs will not exist long, however, as work has commenced in which the grounds will be greatly beautified, and money will be raised in different ways to pay the cost of same. The Parent-Teacher association has taken the matter in hand and will have an entertainment on the evening of June 2nd, the object of which is to raise money for this purpose.

Joe Hawkins and family spent a very pleasant Sunday at the home of Al Dunn, who resides north of Roscoe.

The La Crescenta Improvement association will have a meeting on the evening of June 1st, when steps will be taken to make arrangements to gain more publicity for this valley.

Harvey Bissell, one of our most strenuous and progressive school directors, has superintended laying out a playground at the school and presented the boys with bats, ball and necessary baseball paraphernalia.

The Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. L. N. Rudy last week and Mrs. Joe Hawkins won the first prize, which was a picture of the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. E. F. Archer, Mrs. Edward Nettleton, Mrs. V. B. Claflin, Mrs. A. W. Brown, Miss Rischer of Montrose and Mrs. Goddard of La Canada.

School Children Present Fine Program

On Friday evening of last week the pupils of the La Crescenta school gave one of the best programs ever witnessed by the people of this vicinity. The entertainment was given in the form of two plays. The first was given by the small room and was entitled "Grown-Up Folks." In the first act of the playlet all the characters meet at the home of their young hostess, Virginia Kidd, where each wishes to be grown-up and engaged in what they think would be their ideal profession or work. The second act shows the characters in the roles in which they wished to be, and in the last act they are changed back into children. The children presented their parts in a more than creditable manner, all doing fine. The cast of characters was as follows:

Margaret (The Hostess).....
Georgiana Kidd
The Fairy.....Irene Volker
Ned (The Engineer).....Wesley Koons
Dorothy (The Nurse).....
Margaret Thompson
Fred (Tel. Operator).....
Lawrence Potter
Tom (The Doctor).....
Judson Thompson
Mary (The Schoolteacher).....
Frances Cloud
Harry (President).....Marion Sterling
Nellie (The Milliner).....Marie Caldwell
Daisy (The Music Teacher).....
Anna Hoogerzeil
Bob (The Bachelor).....
Henry Formhals
Secretary to the President.....
Charlie Skow

The second part of the evening's program was given by the older children in a short four-act play called

"The Cinder Maid," in which the following was the cast:
Cinderella.....Isabel Thompson
Prince Nobleheart.....George Forster
Mrs. Toplofty.....Roberta Hopping
Her Daughters.....Susie Rheinschild, Alberta Bertrand
Fairy Godmother.....Violet Brown
King's Herald.....Louis Scherb
Page.....Ernest Ehrhart
Maid.....Lucille Harrah
Guests—Rudolph Rheinschild, Susie Verdugo, Bruce Thompson, Irene Hall.
Great credit is due Miss Hawes for the creditable manner in which the children were trained to so ably interpret their parts. About \$13.75 was cleared, which will be used for school improvements.

Little Mary Cloud celebrated her seventh birthday last Saturday afternoon by entertaining a score of her friends. The children had an exceedingly fine time and did full justice to the refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Nettleton were visitors at Venice Sunday.

Her New Ford Stolen

Mrs. Susan Rheinschild drove her new Ford over to Pasadena the latter part of last week on a shopping trip. She left it on the street a few minutes while she went in to purchase a pair of shoes, but when she came out of the store the Ford had vanished. Whether it followed a fashionable Winton to an aristocratic garage or whether some thief made a quick get-away remains to be seen. Anyway Mrs. Rheinschild is doing without her new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hamlin of Los Angeles have arrived in La Crescenta to spend the summer at their country home.

LITTLELANDS

Mrs. Newton of the Hotel Alexandria, Los Angeles, has been resting at the cottage of Miss McKee for the past week. She owns a half acre on north San Ysidro road and comes here every once in a while and notes the progress of the place. She anticipates making her home here in the not distant future.

Miss Jessie Dunning arrived home about a week ago from her visit at the Metaphysical Home at Santa Monica.

Miss Rebecca White is at home resting from her duties as nurse at a hospital in Los Angeles.

Miss Stella Wieman was called to Highland Park last Friday to speed her young nephew on his homeward way. He is only a recent arrival and he must needs have this special attention.

"The Most Beautiful Woman" is the subject of a reading to be given by Mrs. Moffet, who will have charge of the Bible study at the Ladies' Aid Thursday, June 1. Miss Helen Adkinson will be hostess on this occasion at her home on Pine street. A cordial invitation is extended to the members of the society and to the ladies of the congregation of the Federation.

Miss Studebaker of Glendale, Miss Louise and Mr. Lyman Maxwell of Los Angeles, were guests at the Ball home last Sunday.

A Pleasant Social Function

Seemingly, nearly every member of the community participated in the reception that was held at Bolton hall last Monday evening in honor of Miss Salstrom and Miss Wilson, our popular young school teachers. Everything that could add to the pleasure of the evening was done by the committee in charge. The hall was most beautifully decorated with the holly leafed cherry and roses, carnations and the national colors. Maygroves' orchestra was present and in fine fettle and discoursed lovely strains throughout the evening.

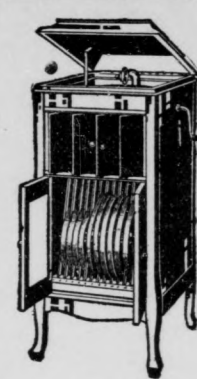
Besides Miss Salstrom and Miss Wilson those given a special invitation for the evening were the members of the school board and their wives, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Wieman, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Begue, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Kearney and the retiring member of the board, Mr. Wells and Mrs. Wells, and the Misses Ball and Jackson, teachers at Sunland.

The Friday Morning club met this morning about ten o'clock in the little grove at the south end of Sunset boulevard, near Mrs. Sheelers' and Miss Moreland's place. This is a new organization and has for its object the pursuit of matters literary. As its name indicates the meetings occur every Friday morning.

The sermon at the Christian Federation preached by Rev. W. H. Wieman Sunday morning was full of inspiring thought. He spoke of the different phases of the Christian's experience, the high lights and the shadows alternating, the sorrows, the gloomings, the joys and exaltations, the depth of anguish and grief, and brightness and blessing, all are but phases, but all are necessary to make up the warp and woof of the Christian's character for eternity when we shall see clearly the why and wherefore of the testings and refinings along life's way.

A Mystery

Who can explain where the couple are who came to Littlelands a week ago last Sunday, left their wraps and luggage at the office of the Western Empire company, saying they would be back shortly to claim their belongings. They went out to explore



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around the colony and nothing further has been seen or heard of them. If any one knows of their whereabouts please leave word at the office.

June 6 we are promised a discourse on "Visual Education" by one whose name we failed to learn. However, it sounds interesting and there will probably be a full house to greet the lecturer.

Home Croft

At the meeting of the Home Croft club Friday night, Mr. Ashby in his address called attention to the fact that the farmers throughout the state are demanding that the readers used in the schools shall contain more reading matter concerning the life of farm and country. Nations who cultivate the soil make the best and most lasting impression on history. One result of war seems to be to bring a recurrence of the people to the cultivation of the soil.

There was considerable discussion of crops and the constant menace to the crops of the pests that constantly prey on the gardens of those residing in the community. Pests such as squirrels, rabbits, moles, etc., that find safe harbor in the brush and piles of rock on the uncleaned lots of non-residents and of the Western Empire company. There is a clause in the contract of the Western Empire company that reserves \$35.00 for half-acre lots and \$50.00 for acre lots that are not cleared within ninety days of purchase, this sum to be used for the purpose of clearing the lots. This matter should have immediate attention. These lots can be cleared of surface rocks and brush for this sum. It is impossible to create an attractive, clean, wholesome and prosperous appearance with these uncleaned lots on every side staring newcomers in the face. Board of Trade, is not this your legitimate affair as an incorporate body?

Mrs. Woodruff made a very telling speech as to the change of name of our town. She voiced the sentiment of most of her hearers when in effect she said the matter of a name belongs to all the members of the community and a right to a voice in the matter is the privilege of every resident and not in just one committee in one society alone. This subject should be thoroughly canvassed and every one allowed a vote in the choice of names. Mrs. Woodruff's speech was heartily applauded. A name has already been sent in to the postal authorities. If this is rejected then the colony as a whole should be canvassed as to the name preferred by the majority.

Several people from Sunland were here in attendance at the reception last Monday night. Among them we noticed Mr. and Mrs. Lagler, Mrs. Percy and Miss Kirschman, besides members of the orchestra who live in Sunland.

Town Meeting

Mr. Ashby stated Tuesday evening that this was the hundred and fiftieth town meeting he had had the pleasure of presiding over and to him each meeting is to the community as a stone in the building of a cairn. They stand as memorials to the events transpiring in the colony.

Mr. Upjohn is expected to give an address before the Town Meeting one week from next Tuesday evening. Some of the new names proposed for Littlelands are: Harmony, by Mr. Darlington; Glorietta, by Mr. Rouse, and Mr. Ashby provoked much amusement by suggesting the name, Knockmore. The New York people furnished the program for the evening. Mr. James R. Rouse was chairman. The following was the program:

Description and Resources of State—Mr. Fred M. Ashby.
Address, New York Statistics—Mr. C. H. Clark.
Original Sketch of Washington Irving—Mrs. Kearney.
Personal Reminiscences of New York City—Mrs. Miles, Sr.
Song—Male Quartette. Wieman, Kearney, Lang, Clark.
A Reading—Mr. Rouse.
Old-Fashioned Song—Mr. Rouse.
The last two numbers were given by special request.

The Woman's club held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Bolton hall.

Mrs. Marston, registrar, is present at the different meetings and states that she has the cancellation slips for those who failed to register their party affiliations and who wish to do so in time to vote at the Aug-

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There will be a Memorial program next Tuesday evening at the town meeting.

The Bee Club meets next Monday evening at the usual place and time.

Capt. Hatch, Jr., and son are visiting at the Capt. Hatch home on Monte Vista boulevard. They came from Hawaii and are enroute to the East.

A USEFUL BOY'S LANTERN

A lantern that can be made in two minutes, out of a tin can, a candle and a piece of wire—a lantern that will not "go out" in the stiffest breeze—is worth knowing about, says the Ladies' Home Journal. Indeed, it is an idea that every boy and girl, and every one who frequents the woods, should learn. I came across it myself during a recent long trip through the mountains.

Then, too, the light is gives is a splendid one, just like a searchlight. I kept one always by my bed in the open, ready for use in case of necessity; and necessity caused me frequently to use it, to discover what the various animals were doing to my food packs. I used it in all of my night trips up the mountains. Indeed, these night trips, the very best part of my outing, would have been impossible of accomplishment had I not been so fortunately equipped.

This is all there is to the making of it: Any sort of can may be used, an old tomato can or lard pail being excellent. With a penknife cut two crosswise slits in the side. Be sure to cut the slits well to the rear of the can, and do not make the opening in the tin any larger than is necessary to permit of the candle's being squeezed tightly through. The bent corners must hold the candle firmly upright; when it burns down all you have to do is to push it up a little. After your hole has been cut, make a handle by winding wire around the can.

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